COMMON SENSE CURE

PYRAMID PILE CURE CURESPILES PERMANENTLY BY CURING THE CAUSE.

Remarkable Remedy Which is Bringing Comfort to Thousands of Suf-

Probably half the people who see this article suffer from piles. It is one of the commonest diseases and one of the most obstinate. People have it for years and just because it is not immediately fatal they neglect it. Carclessness causes no end of suffering. Carclessness about so simple a thing as piles has often caused death. Hemorrhages occur from no apparent cause and loss of blood causes Hemorrhages occur during sur-

gical treatment, often causing death.

Piles are simple in the beginning and easily cured. They can be cured even in the worst stages, without pain or loss of blood, quickly, surely and completely. There is only one remedy that will do it -Pyramid Pile Cure,

It allays the inflammation immediately, heals the irriated surface and with continual treatment reduces the swelling and puts the membranes into good, sound , healthy condition. The cure is

thorough and permanent. Here are some voluntary and unsolicited testimonials we have lately received: Mrs. M. C. Hinkly, 601 Mississippi St. Indianapolis, Ind., says: Have been a sufferer from the pain and annoyance of Pile for fifteen years, the Pyramid Pile Cure and Pyramid Pills gave me immediate relief and in a short time a com-

Major Dean, of Columbus, Ohio, says: I wish to add to the number of certificates as to the benfits derived from the Pyramid Pile Cure. I suffered from piles for forty years and from itching piles for twenty years and two boxes of the Pyramid Pile Cure has effectually cured me.

Most druggists sell Pyramid Pile Cure or will get it for you if you ask them to. It is one dollar per package and is put up only by the Pyramid Drug Co., Albion,

New Berlin, February 26. residence of the officiating minister, Rev. and hearty congratulations were ex-tended to the happy pair. The marriage Banner." tended to the happy pair. The marriage supper was then partaken of, and a pleasant social time enjoyed. Our best wishes place celebrated Washington's birthday thither next April. for a happy life to the young people in their new state is hereby offered. The church fair held on Saturday by

the Ladies' Aid Society of the Reformed church was quite successful, a net gain to the treasury of about \$70.

home of Miss Carrie Hoover, last even- grippe The New Berlin band will give an en-

tertainment on Saturday evening next, the 29th, a concert and drama. Washington's birthday exercises were held by our schools on Friday. Quite an elaborate program was rendered, and

there was a good turn-out of visitors. Miss Rhoda Patterson will commend as teacher in the intermediate grade in our school next week. Miss Elta Williman is just closing a successful term in friends at a quilting bee. Thursday. The

C. W. Troxel left last week for the west as agent for several articles. Schrantz left for Elyria this

morning, having spent the past week at day Mrs. Wesley Devemer is confined to the house with sicknes.

U. S. Gray, has been under the weather

Limaville, February 26. The teachers' institute will be held at Deer Creek Saturday evening, February o29. A good program will be the feature C. A. Kuntze made a business trip to

Cleveland Monday. H. B. Paxson has bought a grist mill near Deerfield, known as the Slack's

Henry Hoffman, who has been sojourn ing in the southern and western states.

was calling on friends here Monday. Mrs. Morris, of Salem, O., was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Calderhead over Sunday. The concert given by Henry Kettring

at Virginia Corners Saturday, was grand success Charles Ketring, who is working in Akron, was home with his parents for a

few days. Mrs. James Rooth was given a surprise a few evenings ago in honor of her birth-

John S. Dustman, who is working near Pittsburg, Pa., was home over Sunday , with his family. The sick in this place and community

are slowly improving. The Knights of the Maccabees of Limaville will, in the near future, give a banquet in their halt.

Limaville, March 1. The teachers' institute held at Deer Creek Saturday, was fairly well attended, the exercises being interesting and in

atructive. Miss Lottle Reynolds has been teaching the North school, which closed last week

with literary exercises. Daniel Smith went to Homeworth, Monday, on business. Henry Peiffer and little son went to

Canton Saturday to visit over Sunday. Webster Reeder shipped from this place Saturday a fine car load of lambs for the eastern markets. Prof. J. A Calderhead, principal of the

Atwater, closed his winter term Wednes Robert Fox and wife, of New Milford

are visiting relatives in this place. New maple syrup is now in the mar-ket. Several have been made in this

Frank Reeder and wife, of Alliance, passed through this place Friday. B L. Paine, of Steubenville, spent a few

days in this place last week. Marsh Hershey, a son of S J. Hershey, died Monday afternoor ter a lingering illness of many months Funeral arrangements have not as yet

George Albert, Rastus Alvina and Pearl Cox, all of Barberton, visite 1 at Henry church Monday at 10 o'clock.

Sparta, March 1 Elmer Guest's home is gladdened by the arrival of a nice girl baby. Frank Brothers rejoices over a boy that

John Bachtel and Anna Sturzant were joined in matrimony last Thursday Rev. Neely officiating. We wish them happiness on the voyage of life.

Mary Murray is sick with fever.

There was quite a scare about dipheria here on account of two cases, which

The L. O. T. M. gave a social to the Sir Knights Saturday night. A grand were in town Sunday.

Homer Hoverland has been very low with lung fever. He is now recovering. Mrs. Lewis Mining gave birth to twin ys, Saturday night. All are doing well. The quarterly meeting at Sandyville full house, was fairly well attended. Rev. Herron, Peter Sh Peter Slusser has accepted an agency of Canton held the communion service on with J. F. Sieberling.

Smoketown.

He gave us two good sermons.

school-house and Navarre.

day afternoon.

Sunday, which was satisfactory to all.

Smoketown, February 26. The Buckeye orchestra celebrated Washington's birthday at the home of Fred

Henry Cashling will work for W. M. Zintsmaster the coming summer. A large crowd attended the celebration

Fred Maurer bought another trotting Now, boys, come along. Pull Gross, from Cleveland,: Miss Bennett, Will Smallon and wife and son, from Navarre, have Mr. Gross' parents a short call out in the country Sun-

Samuel Shetler has purchased a drillng outfit and expects to investigate for Mr. Harry Barr is looking around to

purchase a slik hat and a two-seated william Hawk.

North Industry"

North Industry, February 26. Chas. Darr, of Magnolia, spent Sunday n this city.

A. L. Kruse was in Canton Monday. Miss Lorena Caley, of Coshocton, is isiting relatives in this city. Susan McCartan is on the sick list.

Bent Stimmel was in Canton, Satur-Clem Burwell, who is running an undertaking establishment in Magnolia, reurned home Saturday.

Clara Brechbuller is visiting with David Matty and family, of Waco. Rev. J. H. Harrier, of this place, lectured Sunday night in the Lutheran church. His subject was "The Evils of Intemperance. Everybody present was quit the Goat Hill band and the band will pleased with the lecture. He is circulating miss him. ABOUT THE NEIGHBORHOOD. pleased with the lecture. He is circulating a petition to have a local option

election in this township. The Jr. O. U. A M., of this place, raised a flag on Melscheimer's school house, Friday afternoon. An excellent Married, on Thursday evening, at the program was rendered. Charles Upham, of Canton, was present and made an ad-F. M. Cummings, Mr. O. J. Evans and dress The exercises were continued in the Miss Lettie E. Fry. After the ceremony evening. Recitations, orations, diathe party was conveyed to the home of the groom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Evans, where the immediate relatives were assembled. A reception was held reduced a few selections, orations, dialogues, and songs made the evening enjoyable. Thos Joyce was the star singer of 94 Henry average his leg broken.

Mr. Kirk has

> The Columbia Literary Society of this Friday. An excellent program, consisting of recitations, dialogues, essays and songs, was rendered.

North Industry, March 1. Miss Anna Waltner is on the sick list Mr. Henry Howenstine, Jr., is confined The Pocahontas Society met at the to his home with a severe attack of la

Miss Bertha Frank returned home Friday, after a lengthy visit with relatives in Tarentum, Pa J. S. Crawford, of Coshocton, was in

town, Friday on business.

A. L. Kruse and family, of this place, attended the surprise party on B. H. Brown, of Canton Saturday, evening. A. F. McCartan and U. S. Beans in Canton Sunday.

Mrs. Henry Waltner entertained her ladles report an enjoyable time. A number of our citizens attended the ing was the program : trial of Louis Martella, Friday.

The Youths' Literary Society met Friafternoon in the school house. Harry Wise presided. The program consisted of declamations, reading, and es-"Resolved, That The debate was: Washington deserved more honor for freeing America, than Columbus for dis-covering it." It was affirmed by Ed. It was affirmed by Ed. Brahm and S. H. Welsh and the negative side was argued by Ruth Lehmiller and Harry Wise. The judges rendered the decision in favor of the affirmative. Mrs. Betsy Davis, of this place, died

Sunday morning of dropsy. She was born in Gnadenhutten, Tuscarawas county, Ohio, in 1824. She leaves five children Alfred Davis, of Spara: John Davis, Massillon: Wm. Davis, Mrs. Mary Yoder and Amanda Davis, of this place. She also leaves two sisters, Mrs. Indianapolis, and Mrs. Awe, of Richville. and one brother, Martin Reistock, of this

Navarre.

Navarre, February 26, Mr. and Mrs. Sands, of Springville, spent several days at the home of their uncle. George Obenour. Miss Nettle Rider has gone to Akron to

spend a couple of weeks. The teachers of the public schools are to be congratulated on the success they made of the celebration of Washington's birthday, held in the opera hall last Saturday night. The flag drill was excel-

lent. The attendance was large, the hall being packed to overflowing. Rev. Schmucker, of Canton, will hold a lecture in the brick church on Wednesday night: topic, "How to Get There."

members of the Epworth League will hold a memorial service in the M. E. church on Sunday night, March 1, in memory of Dr. Keene. Navarre, March 1.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Gorious, daughter. Rev. Frank Corl, of Alliance, spent

veral days with his mother last week The memorial service held in the M. E. church Sunday night was well attended and the music rendered was good. Ralph the three months old son of Harry Rouseh and wife, died last Saurday

February 29. Funeral services will be held in St. Clement's church, Monday after Interment in St. Clement's ceme Mrs. Rousch is the daughter of our undertaker, Julius Hug. She had home on a visit when the child took sick and died. The parents have the sympathy of their many friends.

Wm. Overholt, who for the past sever months has been staying with David Swartzlow, will work near Massillon this

Greentown.

Grentowp, March 1. Israel Slote, aged 77 years, who has been staying with John Young, one mile south of Aultman, died Saturday. Interment with take place at the Dunkar Urias Krighbaum is still confined to

Ben Foust, who sold his farm recently. moved into town Friday. He has rented the Schrantz property on North Jackson ant to take, convenient to carry.

The men laid off at the H. B. Camp Co. shop two weeks ago on account came to their home to stay twenty-one of a break in the machinery, will resume work again this week. Miss Martha Miller is now in the em-

ploy of Mrs. W. F. Ream. Prof. James O., Wise, of Akron, spent Sunday in Grentown with his parents and

Cyrus Witwers, of McDonelsville, was

The protracted meeting is still in prog The Greentown Comedy Company played "Lony, the Convict.," at Greens-burg, Saturday night. They report a

Camp Creek. Camp Creek, March 1. Miss Sadie Budd is staying with her sister, Mrs. Harvey, at present. Mossrs, Melville Boughman, Manue

Boughman, Dan Wurtz, Albert Budd, attended the literary at Chapel last Tuesday evening. The Cross Roads Young People's Se clety of Christian Endeavor elected offilarge crowd attended the celebration cers on Sunday evening, February 23, washington's birthdy at Swan's as follows: President, Mr. Edward col-house and Navarre.

Griffith: vice-president, Mr. Calvin Hawk: corresponding secretary, Miss Rica Beck: recording secretary, Miss Martha Beck: treasurer, Mr. Charles S.

> The literary held at Cross Roads last Friday evening was a success. There was a good debate which was discussed by able speakers. Sanford Warstler has moved back to

this place again. Louis Flora is visiting his sister, Mrs.

Elton, March 1. Mr. John Jacobs and his brother have quit working at the Goat Hill mine and have started at the Wainwright shaft. The Goat Hill farmers' and mechanic ornet band serenaded Mr. and Mrs. Ells

worth Smith last Wednesday evening. A.M. Smith is soon going to start to college at Cleveland. William Penman attended the literary at Cross Roads last Friday evening. ' E. B. Bach, Alvin Graber, attended the

literary at Cross Roads last Friday evening and Mr. Bach made a warm debate at that place. John Jacobs has bought two acres land near the Wainwright shaft and is going to move out of Stephen Homer's house to his place. Mr. Jacobs also has

Peter Snyder will move in the house formerly occupied by Mr. Jacobs. S. D. Baughman, B. P. Baughman and M. P. McFarren attended the sale at West Lebanon last Saturday.

Paris, March 1. Ler. GeorgeF. Zininger was at Canton blood as nothing else can do; it is naon Saturday to visit his brother, William, ture's brain food; it builds up shattered of 94 Henry avenue, who recently had Mr. Kirk has moved into the Gerwig

George Biggam, our blacksmith, has secured a job at Canton and will move Edward E. Phelps, M. D., LL. D., of Frank Shaffer will move back to town

this spring. Johnny Johnson will occupy Mrs. proats' brick marsi in next year. Some of the miners are hunting other places of employment, there not being enough work for them here.

The concert at Meiser's hall on Thurs-

day night was good but not very well at-The band serenaded Walter V. Stimmel at the residence of Mr. Meiser, he having married his daughter Mary, last Thurs-

McDonaldsville. McDonaldsville, February 26. The Jr. O. U. A. M. had a Washington's birthday celebration and open meet-

ing in the church on Saturday evening Mr. and Mrs. Thomas. and a grand time was had. The follow-Song-Red. White and Bl

Scripture reading and prayer-Rev. Jacob King. Song-National hymn Opening address-Washington-Nelson M. Keck.

Music by orchestra Declamation-Washington's birthday 1896.—Miss Emma Blatz. Song-Fourth of July. Declamations-The Starry Flag, by

Bertha Witmer: Minstrel Boy, by Earl Music by orchestra Address-Jr. O. U. A. M. and Our Public Schools-Prof. J. H. Braucher.

Song-Star Spangled Banner Address—Benefits of Our Order—C Foster. Song-Freedom's Banner. Declamation-Mr Albright Becomes

Junior-Miss Grace Weidler. Music by orchestra. Address-Objects and Principles of Our

Order-Rev. Jacot King. Song-Good-night The orchestra was composed of four

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is simply marvelous: a quite hearty din-

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nerves; it is pre-eminently the one great health-maker known to medicine. First discovered after laborious, studious, scientific research by the ablest physician America has produced, Prof. Darthmouth College, it is prescribed and publicly indorsed by the best practi-tioners in every city of America. It has

Work on the telephone line begins to

street, in with the Vitak music store.

TEACHER'S INSTITUTE.

Township Teachers Are Doing.

ally at Hickory college, Saturday after

The spacious room was most beautifully

decorated with wreaths of evergreen, ar

tificial flowers, bunting, banners, and

In the rear end of the hall was a raised

a dozen or more of teachers, the digni

and transacted all its business. The pres

The exercises of the evening were a

township may well feel proud of her pub-

replete with good things for all.

The subject of Prof. Jones' address was

The School and the Home," and was

strongly upheld the idea that good Chris-

tian mothers in the homes are the founda-

tion stones on which our republic must

stand, and that our country school must

in the future as in the past, be the well

spring from which the nation can draw

its standard-bearers. And that the de-

velopment of a strong moral character is

the greatest of the three great depart-

ments of education. The lecture was a

treat to all, as was manifested by the

hearty applause given Prof. Jores at the conclusion of his address. The pro-

gram of the evening preceding and follow-

ing the lecture consisted of songs by all

schools, solos and duets, and recitations

by the pupils. The manner in which

each of the schools acquitted itself in

singing clearly demonstrated that the

teaching of vocal music in the schools

is a success, and Prof. Coy's efforts as

special teacher of that branch are appre-

excellent lecture, the audience, under

Again. The audience was beyond doubt the larg

est that ever assembled in any of the school rooms of Nimishillen township.

J. R. Snyder, President.

clated by the schools and ratrons

leadership of Professor Coy,

noon and evening, February 29, 1896.

Report of What the Nimishillen

been so enthusiastically recommended

all others together ! Paine's celery compound, taken during the early spring days, has even more than its usual remarkable efficacy in

making people well. It makes short work of all diseases of debility and nervous exhaustion. It rapidly drives out neuralgia. sleeplessness, dyspepsia and rheumatism from the system. It re moves that lassitude, or "tired feeling, which betokens weakened nerves and poor blood. by grateful men and women in every walk of life that it is today in every

Mr. Ball, of Illinois, is visiting friends Miss McMillan, of Massillon, spent Sunday with the family of Daniel

S. Investor: The Jr. O. U. A. M. of this place is preparing for a dramatic entertainment Mr. A. H. Braucher has moved into the house which was occupied by the late Lewis Hane now sports a fine horse and John Boyle, the optician, has removed his place of business from No. 11 West Eighth street, to No. 30 North Market

Under the auspices of the Nimishillen Township Teachers' Association, all the schools of the township, held a grand attendance was so large that at an early hour standing room was at a premium. Old Hickory" was never more worthy of the name she bears than on this night.

towns to capture me. While this statement is naturally flat tering to me it is nevertheless a libel, and, in fact, if I cared to use strong language I might go so far as to take the last syllable away from the word

stage, on which sat the speaker of the evening, Prof. E. A. Jones, of Massillon, taries of the township, and last, but not least, Prof. Coy, director of music for the township, who had charge of the musical exercises of the evening. In the afternoon the teachers held a regular session, ent officer were re-elected to hold over till Mr. Chas. Shaffer gave an interesting talk on "Teaching Reading," and C. F. Chenot on "The Educational Standard of many languages that you are sure to hit Our School Then and Now," followed by

friendly contest for the post of honor in singing and declaiming, there being neither judges nor prizes in the case, and the best of feeling prevailed throughout the exercises. All the schools were rep-

Under these circumstances I thought it would be a nice thing, as the roads were good and the scenery picturesque, to take a bicycle tour right around Lake Thun, beginning at the town which gives the lake its name, going around the north side of the lake to Interlaken

The hotel keeper told me that if I went up the street, turned to the right went under an arcade until I came to a tunnel, penetrated that and emerged on another street, turned to the left and kept on I would come to the shop of a man who would let me have a bicycle on hire by the day or the hour. I fol lowed the directions as closely as possi ble and thought I recognized the shop because a bicycle was leaning against the schools, also songs by each of the the wall. The owner was leaning against the doorway, looking at the bi cycle outside. The following conversation in many languages took place between us:

"Haben sie un bicyclette a louer?" opened on him with the above impartial After tendering a vote of thanks to the mixture of German and French. people of Hickory college for their kindseems he understood me to ask if that ness and efforts in entertaining the schools was his bicycle, whereupon he replied and visitors, and to Prof. Jones for his in four languages:

> Then, throwing in a bit of Italian, I led off with: "Quanta costa la machine a la hoor per tag?"

Where every other sense the most popular remedy in the emedy has failed world. one class of persons who are in urgent fitting memorial to a life of hard study need of this wonderful remedy to make and close observation—a remedy that Where every other remedy has failed world.

Paine's celery comIt has proven itself so easily the greatand keep them well. Business men who pound has made peo- est of all spring medicines, making the are not sleeping soundly, shop girls take the price are not sleeping soundly, shop girls take the price are not sleeping soundly, shop girls take the price are not sleeping soundly. made pale and sickly by long hours of power of this greatest of all remedies for It cures disease! It the big cities, New York, Chicag: Phila-has saved the lives of delphia, Boston, St. Louis and the rest, indoor work, and the countless sufferers restoring vigor to the blood and strength thousands of sufferers. It has made the weak strong.

deliphia, Boston, St. Louis and the rest, thousands of sufferers. It has made the weak strong.

deliphia, Boston, St. Louis and the rest, the leading newspapers, making their from dyspepsia, kidney and liver trouble, to the nervous system. In these first need the invigorating effect of Paine's days of spring one has every chance for celery compound now that spring, with getting well. Don't neglect it. compound as far surpasses that of all all its dangers, is at hand. Its pre-emiother remedies as the curative power of nence as a health-maker comes from its equalizes all the nervous tissues and in-

> and brain. one of his cases till he knows it on every is an infallible relief for salt rheum, side, and in every possible aspect, so Prof. Edward E. Phelps, M. D., Ll. D. of Dartmouth College, the discoverer of Paine's celery compound, had studied the nerves in health and disease, when well nourished and when under-neurished, in men and women and children years before he looked for the remedy. Overworked and tired women are but come of his entire professional life. A

> > I would take it, whereupon, without

further parley, I wheeled the hievele

into the middle of the road, sprang on

its back and was off, leaving the aston-

ished man standing by his door, too

thunderstruck, it seems, to make any outcry until I had passed beyond his

I pedaled serenely on, little realizing

what a commotion I had left behind

me, and the one funny thing about this

most regrettable episode is that I spent

an exceedingly quiet, peaceful and en-

joyable day, not knowing I was pursued,

making no attempt to elude anybody

and yet eluding them in what appeared

afterward to be by subtle and crafty

dodges. The magistrate could not be

persuaded that my sitting on the ve-

randa of a restaurant in the main street

of Interlaken, with the bicycle in plain

view of everybody, was not the brazen

act of a hardened criminal, who knew

the police would be searching for him

When the man standing against the

doorway had recovered partly from his

amazement at my sudden flight on his

machine, he rushed to the police station

and told the anthorities there a plausi-

ble foreigner had engaged him in polite

Ollendorfian conversation, and, while

his mind was distracted in trying to fol

low his remarks, had seized the oppor-

tunity and also the machine and was at

that moment making his way to the

Now, capture under these circum

stances seemed to be deliciously easy.

There were no branching off roads. The

mountains were on one side and the lake

on the other, on neither side of which

was bicycling practicable. Therefore all

the two policemen had to do, when they

mounted their machines, was to ride

faster than I did, and so overtake me.

As I had no idea that a race was on, I

plunged along in a leisurely manner

and would undoubtedly have been taken

near Interlaken if it had not been for

the fact that some years ago a company

built a funicular railway from the mar-

gin of the lake a mile or so up to St.

Beatenburg. I had lived in St. Beaten

burg once, and I remembered that the

road from there to Interlaken was a

good one, so I thought that perhaps it

would not be a bad plan to go up on the

railway and coast down to Interlaken.

I knew a man who had done it once. I

an well believe now that no one ever

tries it the second time. The car goes

up to St. Beatenburg three or four times

a day only, but when a couple of miles

away from the landing I saw a steamer

coming in, and I knew if I reached the

landing about the time she did I would

I am fot a racer, but I thereupon put

in my best licks to make connection

with the mountain railway. The road

at this point is as level as the lake itself

and only a few feet above it. My

thoughts turned to the railway because

I knew that beyond the lower end of it

the carriage road rose high above the

lake, passed through several tunnels and

then went down to the Interlaken plain.

By taking the up car I would avoid all

this and have it down hill all the way

The policemen, it seems, caught sight

of me as I was making my spurt, and

they at once put on extra steam, but

there is a deep bay just bafore one

get a car.

north road toward Interlaken.

in the back streets.

sight at the first turning of the road.

the world could not lose today, at any Take advantage of the remarkable

Paine's celery compound calms and duces the body to take on solid flesh.

propriate nutriment to the blood, nerves It purifies the blood, as is so clearly shown by the rapid clearing of the skin Just as the great lawyer studies each of all evidence of bad humors within It eczema, and all blood diseases Physicians recognize Paine's celery compound as the one scientific spring emedy, and it is universally prescribed

by them wherever there is great need of vigorous and prompt restoring of health and strength to the worn-out

BY THE WAY.

The following paragraph is extracted from a Kansas letter to the Boston U.

The new Kaffir corn, of which 186,000 acres were raised this year, has proved a boon to farmers, as it has thrived in hot, dry weather, and sandy soil as well apparently as if conditions were more favorable. By some it is considered the salvation of the semiarid region, as it produces liberally, and the grain is exsellent for feed as well as a satisfactory flour and meal basis. The farmers are trying now to find an agriculture adapted to the climate and soil rather than to force the old methods, and indications point to success. Had they adopted this plan years ago the prairie states would be far advanced compared with present

A BICYCLE THIEF.

A certain news agency had telegraphed abroad the report that I am in Switzerland, not for the benefit of my health. but for the purpose of stealing bicycles, Despite the almost impassable roads, the and they added that I was an expert thief, and, for a time at least, I had succeeded in baffling the most praiseworthy attempts of the police of two

The whole trouble arose through Switzerland not baving a proper language of its own, that hilly country preferring to express what few thoughts it has in a mixture of French, German and Italian, depending on what particular canton you happen to be in. They say that the Swiss are natural linguists. Unfortunately they are. Any combination of sounds you may make means something to any Swiss to whom you happen to be talking, for he knows so one of them, and so you convey ideas to

him that you had no thought of express October weather is lovely in Switzerland. Most of the visitors have then gone, prices come down one-half, and the air is sweet and cool, with usually

resented and all did well. Nimishillen a cloudless sky.

and returning by the south shore.

"Yaw, yaw, oui, yes, se."

Now, I submit that to any educated person, or even to a university man, this sentence said as plainly as print,

Traces ment no you want for this machine by the hour or the day?" I tried reaches the funicular, and they lost afterward to get the magistrate to see sight of me as I turned the point. I had this, but he, not knowing Italian, shied reached the top of the railway funicuat the very beginning of the phrase. lar, and I bicycled the mile or more The owner of the bicycle on oath dealong the street, high up above the lake, clares that he thought I asked how on one side of which is scattered the much the bicycle had cost him. He says village of St. Beatenburg, with its wonthat he answered he paid 500 francs for derful view of the snow mountains-the that brute of a machine, made in Jungfrau, the Eiger, the Monch and a France, while I understood him to agree host of others. to let me have it for 5 francs a day, I found the ride down the zigzag road which was cheap. I was in a hurry to not such fun as I had expected. I saw the brake was not going to last if I his offer, so I said it was all right, and kept on, so I had to walk most of the

> ground, I cycled gently into Interlaken, making for the place where they sell Munich beer, and there, over a mug and a sandwich on the main street, l made my frugal lunch, with the bicycle standing against a pillar of the veranda After a smoke I proceeded out of In terlaken and took the south road that borders the lake. This road is not so good for cycling as the other, being much more hilly, while the roadbed is more stony. I therefore walked a good deal, taking it very leisurely, and in course of time I was overtaken by a policeman, who also was walking his ma-

> way down. Coming to a more level

on a bicycle coming from Thun, and I told him quite truly that I had not. He seemed discouraged and told me all about the bicycle theft and the arrest of the wrong man. He feared the thief had hidden in the forest until he and his comrade went past and then perhaps took the steamer across the lake, or the villain might merely have pretended to take the north road, while in reality he went by the south. Thus the policeman hoped to meet him yet. I promised to

chine. He asked me if I had met a man

keep a lookout, and the officer went on. When I reached Thun and came to the place where I got the bicycle, I found the man was in Interlaken, and his wife, who knew all about the robbery, was amazed to see the thief return the machine and place 5 francs and

his thanks on the counter. I regret to say that the apparent honesty of this action did not commend itself to the authorities. They looked on it as the ruse of a crafty scoundrel, who realized that, so vigilant were the police, it was impossible for him to escape, and so endeavored to throw dust in the eyes of the wise men of the place. I therefore had to pay the expenses of the chase and apologize to everybody

Thus the bicycle, at 5 francs a day, was not so cheap as I had at first supposed.—Luke Sharp in Detroit Free

The Preacher Performed His Part.

It has long been a matter of controversy how far the end justifies the means in getting money for good purposes. There are occasionally found people who object to the extortion of a church fair where you get in for 25 cents and out for \$25, and who say that the raffle of a charity bazaar differs from no other gambling except that nobody but the directors ever win the prize quilts. A gambler from Ohio, who had made a big fortune in a saloon and fare bank, says that last winter he attended a colored church in Florida where the preacher announced that a special blessing would be asked for all contributors. One brother put in a dime. "De Lord

bless Brer Jones!" exclaimed the preach-

er. "Brer Johnson, God bless you for that quartah." When it came to the gambler, he fished out a \$20 bill. What name?" asked the almost breathless collector. "It doesn't matter. I am a gambler from Ohio. " "Gamblah from Ohio!" shouted the collector. The pastor rolled up his eyes and dropped on his knees: "Twenty dollars from de gamblah from Ohio! May de good Lawd prosper him in his business!"-New